THE ISLAND OF QUELPART

an instant photoalbum by Florentin Smarandache

This photojournal is accompanied by the traditional Korean song "너영 나영" "You and I Both Dear". This unique Korean folk song from Jeju island is a typical classical folk song which sings about unfulfilled love yearning for real love.

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FOREWORD

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The island is the largest island in South Korea, 73km wide and 41km long, with a total area of 1,848 km. Jeju came into existence 700 to 1,200 thousand years ago when lava spewed from a sub-sea volcano. Mt. Halla rises in the center of Jeju to 1950m above sea level. The rest of the island slopes down from its summit and is covered with dark gray volcanic rocks and volcanic ash soil.

Jeju is South Korea's top honeymoon destination, with delicious seafood, gorgeous beaches and mild weather.

Jeju, with a harsh natural environment and its shamanist roots, is distinctly different from mainstream Korea. Relatively isolated from the rest of the world, the island's nature has been well preserved in its prehistoric state, being designated a UNESCO World Natural Heritage in 2007 for its scenic and scientific value.

The island was annexed by Korea in 1105. During the subsequent 500-year Joseon dynastic reign, Jeju was a place of political exile.

The dialect spoken on Jeju Island is known for being almost incomprehensible to speakers of standard Korean. But the Jeju dialect is a critically endangered language spoken by no more than 10,000 people. In December 2010 Jeju dialect was included in UNESCO's Atlas of the World's Languages in Danger.

Jeju means in Korean *place over there*, and the island has been called during times by many different names, such as:

Doi (도이, literally "Island barbarian")
Dongyeongju (동영주; 東瀛州)
Juho (주호, 州胡)
Tammora (탐모라, 耽牟羅)
Seomra (섭라, 涉羅)
Tangna (탁라, 乇羅)
Tamna (탐라, 耽羅)
Joonwonhado (준원하도, 준원下島)
Taekseungnido (택승리도, meaning the peaceful hot island in Joseon)
Samdado (삼다도, meaning "Island of Three Abundances").

To Europeans, the island was known as **Quelpart**. The name came from the first European ship to spot the island, the Dutch Quelpart, led up by Hendrik Hamel, in 1653.

welcoming Christmas

urbanization

fence in

gazebo

touristry

history on stone

visitors

preparing for a horse riding

Seongsan Ilchulbong

promenade

mesmerised

land and sea

blue infinity

up high

tabular

floating

entering the sea

destinations

Hallasan

rocky roof

on the Seongsan Ilchulbong's peak

posture

shopping

water source

wood joinery

the well

stairs

stance

street

carfax

wires

seafood restaurant

delicacies

on the street

trajectory

another restaurant

traffic

Jeju’s streets

quietness

cloudy

poles

forest road

freeze frame

gold

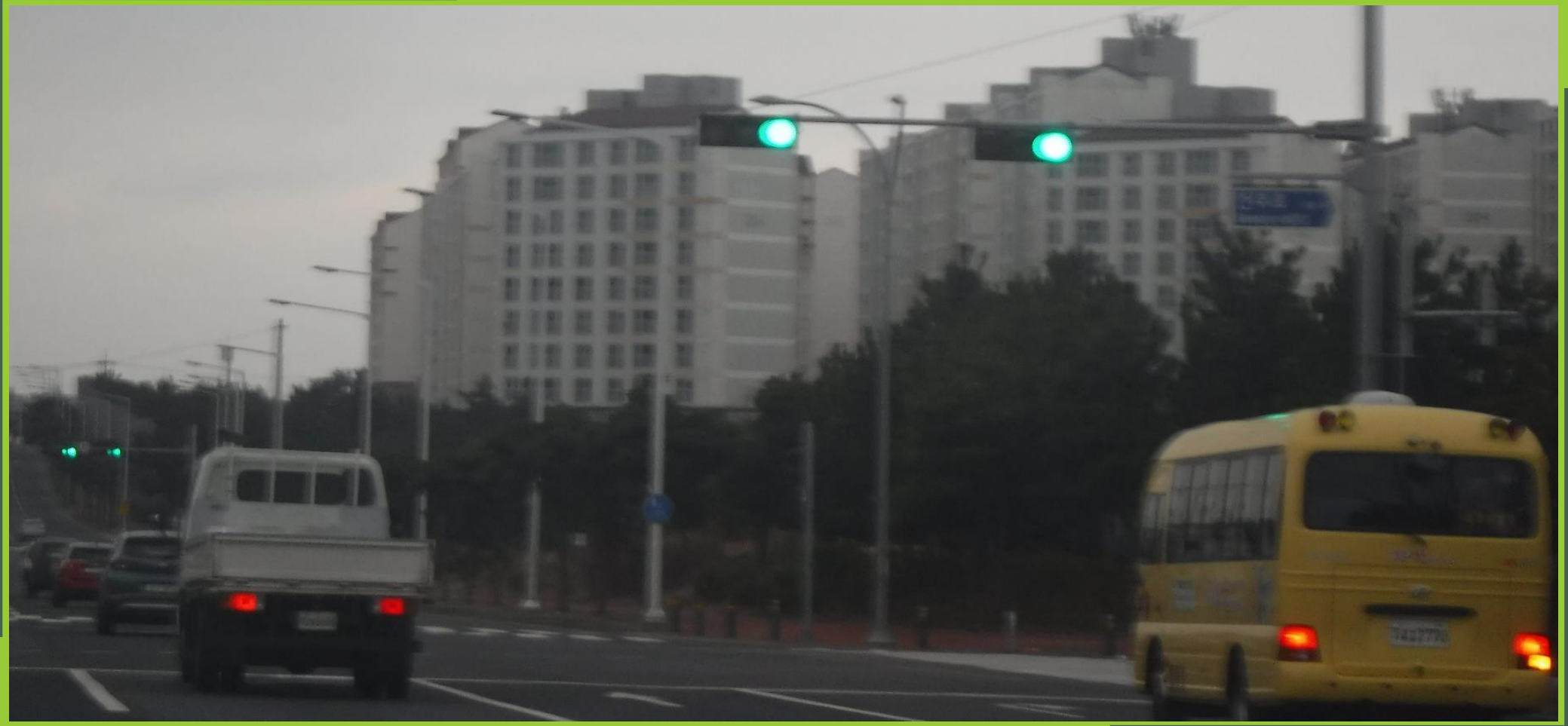
red and alone

imposing white

lights

driving

evening trice



buildings

gogreen

jiffy

forward

hanging

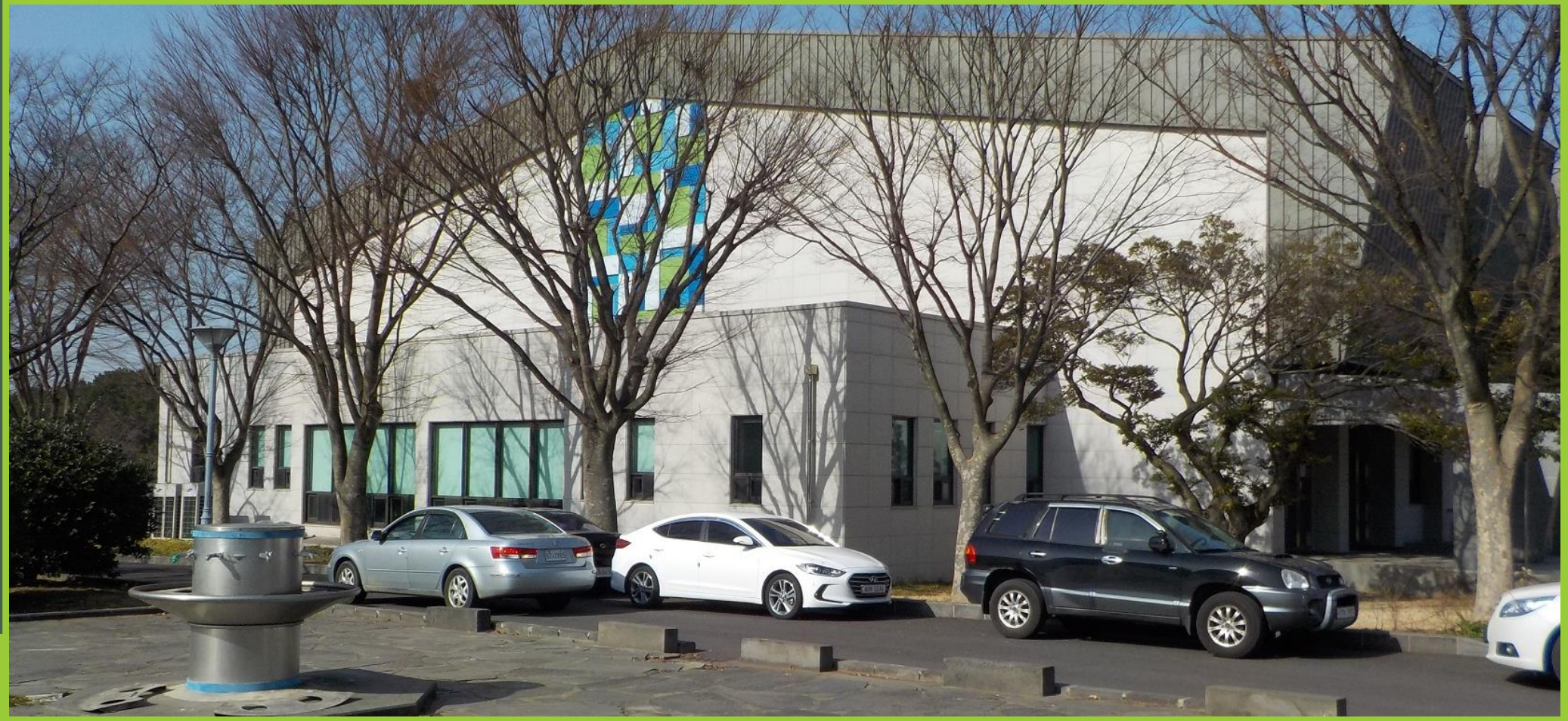
tilt over

red all over

bus station

campus

architecture



phrasing

last floor

canteen

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Hanbok

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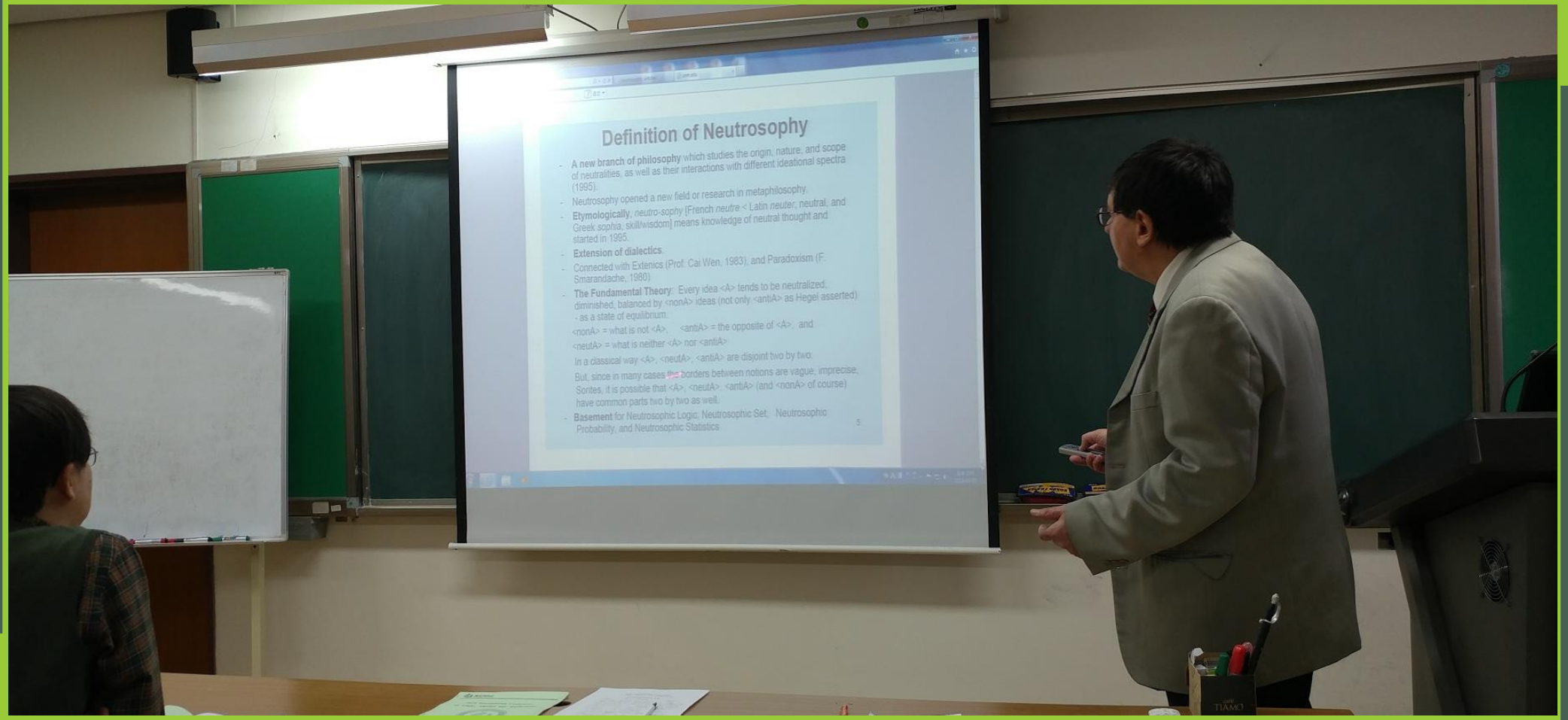
Definition of Neutrosophy
- A new branch of philosophy which studies the origin, nature, and scope of neutralities, as well as their interactions with different ideational spectra (1995).
- Neutrosophy opened a new field or research in metaphilosophy.
- Etymologically, neutro-sophy [French neutre < Latin neuter, neutral, and Greek sophia, skill/wisdom] means knowledge of neutral thought and started in 1995.
- Extension of dialectics.
- Connected with Extenics (Prof. Cai Wen, 1983), and Paradoxism (F. Smarandache, 1980)
- The Fundamental Theory: Every idea <A> tends to be neutralized, diminished, balanced by <nonA> ideas (not only <antiA> as Hegel asserted) - as a state of equilibrium.
<nonA> = what is not <A>, <antiA> = the opposite of <A>, and
<neutA> = what is neither <A> nor <antiA>
In a classical way <A>, <neutA>, <antiA> are disjoint two by two.
But, since in many cases the borders between notions are vague, imprecise, Sorites, it is possible that <A>, <neutA>, <antiA> (and <nonA> of course) have common parts two by two as well.
- Basement for Neutrosophic Logic, Neutrosophic Set, Neutrosophic Probability, and Neutrosophic Statistics
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Dr. Madad Khan, Dr. Florentin Smarandache, Dr. Seoung Dal Jung, Dr. Young Bae Jun.

enjoying Korean food

departure

poinsettia

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